

JUNIOR PROM SET FOR MAY 9TH BY PRINCIPAL SMITH

An announcement was made by Principal C. G. Smith of the local high school this morning that the junior prom would be held Friday, May 9, instead of May 16, as previously announced.

Tickets will be issued for the prom on the same plan that was followed at the last student body dance. Alumni may attend the dance with active juniors and seniors, providing the invitations are secured by the junior or senior with whom the alumni attend.

Members of the junior class appointed on the committees for the prom, being given in honor of the seniors, are as follows:

Decorations: Mary Kate Walters, chairman; Ruth Clement, Dorothy Sloud, Doris Handy, Jean Whitman, Roberta Dale, Blanche Kirkpatrick, Jack Caldwell, Oliver Hughes, Arthur Iverson, Billy Hagen, Victor Noel.

Program: Flora McMath, chairman; Barbara Drury, Bertha Crine, Marjorie Marshall, Lucile Lowry, Bill Walker, Robert Spalding.

Refreshments: Leneve Simpkins, chairman; Loleta Jones, Violet Judy, Bertha Saylor.

Invitations and tickets: Winifred Warner, chairman; Geraldine Latham, Don Wold, Fred Colvig.

Orchestra and dance: Charles Clay, chairman; Bob Emmons, Melvyn Parrett, Harriet Campbell, Merritt Robstfield.

Clean-up: Ivan Crum, chairman; Pearl Bateman, Bill Woodford, Wm. Dorn, Fred Schmidt, Harlan Seiler.

LEGION PLANNING ANOTHER REGATTA

Report of Chairman Harry Moore of the American Legion Regatta committee at last night's meeting of the post showed a handsome profit was realized which will be used to defray expenses of the drug corps in entering competition at the state legion convention to be held in Baker this summer.

Chairman Moore, members of his committee, the Medford boat club and the Standard Oil Co., and others were given the thanks of the post by Commander W. S. Bolger for the highly successful manner in which the races were conducted.

If Medford speed boat enthusiasts are successful in securing a high-powered motor which they contemplate installing in order to give Henry Fluhrer more competition than was accorded his championship craft, "Black Friday" on Easter day, it is probable that another racing meet will be held during the latter part of May.

George R. Wilbur, past state commander of the American Legion and a candidate for governor on the Democratic ticket, was a visitor at last evening's meeting.

QUISENBERRYS HAVE RADIO ROLES TONIGHT

A rather unusual situation has developed in the casting of the new Helen Norris radio play to be broadcast by the popular Copeo Players tonight. The part of Peter Mason, little country schoolboy, is taken by Phil Quisenberry and the part of Mrs. Estelle Quisenberry.

It is not often that such a condition develops but in this case it is expected to work out to excellent advantage. Both Phil and his mother are admirably suited to their parts and have a fine supporting cast.

The drama will be directed by Fletcher Fish and is scheduled to take place during the regular Tuesday evening Copeo hour from 9 to 10 o'clock.

PHOENIX COMEDY AT GYM FRIDAY EVENING

A three-act comedy, "Modern Ananias" (by Fraser), will be given at the Phoenix gym, May 2, at 8:15 o'clock. The performers have been practicing for the past four weeks and the show promises two hours of real fun.

The cast is as follows: Lysander Lyon, Bob Steadman; Colonel Lyon, Harold Colver; Derby Dashwood, Joseph Bartley; Francisco, Ralph Swingle; Baby, Doris Holmes; Nellie Goldengate, Myrna Pettus; Prudence Mayflower, Leah Dietrich; Kitten, Elva Chaplin.

In dealing with communism and anarchy he thinks "we need to rely on religion to put down the forces of law and order." Times have changed. The men that wrote the Constitution of the United States and started the government going, therefore, separating religion and church from government, felt that they could rely on themselves and on law to handle their problems.

If Grover Whalen will investigate the religious record of the criminals, he would be surprised to find how many have been very thoroughly trained religiously from their childhood.

SHOWERS SOLVE MOISTURE LACK IN ROGUE VALLEY

Rain and showers, falling over the Rogue River valley for the past 19 days, has put a tinge of silver to the lining of the drouth clouds, and brightened up the irrigation water situation, "wonderfully and optimistically," according to County Water Master Fred N. Cummings.

By virtue of the precipitation on the floor of the valley, and in the highlands, the opening of the use of storage has been delayed two weeks. The creeks are bank full and the ground well saturated.

Before the rains started 10 days ago, irrigation from the storage supply was seriously considered. Now this is not necessary.

According to reports filed today, new snow that fell in the hills Sunday and Monday, will cause a slight rise in irrigation water at Fish Lake and Four Mile, principally the latter.

Rain and ground water have caused a heavy increase in the second feet flow. In most of the streams, Lake Creek is running bank full. It is the north fork of Little Butte creek. The south fork of Little Butte, however does not show as great an increase.

The watermaster said that two weeks ago the irrigation water situation was rather grim, but now feels that a major crisis has been surmounted.

The rain in the hills will also insure stockmen of more and better grass for grazing.

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and others testified that they had actually seen Mrs. Lot, changed by the rains of three thousand years. They even furnished extraordinary biological data of periodical events to prove the sex of the salt statue.

Nobody has seen the statue very recently.

Yesterday 8000 of Gandhi's revolutionists in India burned an enormous pile of cloth made in foreign countries.

The Indian Mahatma thinks he can restore India's ancient glory by persuading his followers to wear only cloth made on hand looms.

Hindu women sang a song of "secession" while their husbands made a bonfire of three canals loads of English cloth. While this went on, a British war plane flew overhead, an observer keeping his eye on the crowd of 8000 "the obedient."

The thoughtful Hindu, looking up at that plane, perhaps realized building airplanes of their own account could do more for the Hindus than burning all the English cloth in India.

In business the British are reasonable. That is why they have such a big Empire, and were rich enough to finance the late war, with ten billions of dollars' help from this country.

In 1918 when the war ended, Great Britain thought only of hanging the Kaiser and promised to do it.

This morning you read that Britain has made an agreement with the German Doctor Eckener, allowing him to establish an exclusive Anglo-German air service from Europe to New York.

Britain promises not to compete with Germany's air service and will concentrate on an air line to Canada.

Germany and Great Britain will pool their information as to the weather and general facilities. Meanwhile, this country, which owns one side of each ocean, just looks on.

Very wise, the British; they act while others sleep.

Senator Wagner, of New York, starts a fight to back progress and solve the unemployment problem, which he says is serious.

He wants the country to "face the true facts." The government can help. A LITTLE, not very much.

Our national wage payroll is over sixty thousand million dollars a year. Income of individuals aside from wages, amount to forty thousand million dollars. That gigantic sum depends on public confidence, energy, individual enterprise.

It is wise to face facts. But it is dangerous to talk pessimistically. By telling a man he looks badly, you can send him to bed. By telling him he looks well you can put him on his feet.

New York's city commissioner, Grover Whalen, a first class police commissioner, tells the Knights of Columbus, "We need religion in this country perhaps more than anything else."

By the way, the men that wrote the Constitution of the United States and started the government going, therefore, separating religion and church from government, felt that they could rely on themselves and on law to handle their problems.

Society

Auxiliary Entertains Guests at Meeting. Visitors from Ashland and Crescent City attended the meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of Medford Post, American Legion, held in the club rooms of the amatory last night.

Mrs. Gordon McCracken of the former city entertained the group with a short talk and Mrs. E. Winn of Crescent City, an accomplished contralto, sang several songs.

Other guests from Crescent City were Mrs. Leo Ward, Mrs. Frank Sims, Mrs. Ed Potter, Mrs. M. Williams, Secretary of the auxiliary in that city, and Mrs. F. Hoffman, president.

Initiation was a part of the evening's program and Mrs. A. H. Hanwell, and Mrs. Boothby were taken in as new members.

The room and tables were beautifully decorated in red, white and gold, with blue glassware and gold candles adding the auxiliary colors to the tables.

Mrs. N. C. Chaney, department president, presided in the absence of Mrs. Wm. Bricker, president of the Medford Auxiliary. Mrs. Edward Leach was chairman of the committee responsible for the refreshments attractively served at the close of the session.

Society Reverses Order for Surprise Party

The men appeared in soft blouses and the women in rather heavy Mrs. of masculine apparel when 30 members of local social groups helped Mr. E. C. Solsinsky celebrate his birthday anniversary Saturday evening by calling at his home, unannounced, for a party.

Disturbed from his evening hour with Andy 'n' Andy by the peculiar looking group, Mr. Solsinsky was on the verge of disappearing through a window or calling the police when greeted with "Happy birthday."

Several hours were spent around the bridge tables with the guests continuing through the evening in their comic costumes. Prizes \$20 high score for women were awarded Mrs. Earl Day and Mrs. P. G. Thayer.

Dr. R. W. Steeger and Dr. Goldberry won first for men and Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Hogan were given the consolation prizes.

Mayor A. W. Pines won first prize in the costume contest for the most perfectly attired in feminine apparel.

The guests brought with them costumes for their host and hostess and Mr. and Mrs. Solsinsky vied with the rest for honors.

Cast Busy With Rehearsals. Final rehearsals are occupying the time of the cast of "Mrs. Brewster's Secret," the sparkling comedy which is to be presented next Tuesday and Wednesday at St. Mark's Parish house. The production is under the personal direction of Tom Swain and the fact that Tom is well pleased with the progress made, promises a finished performance.

Members of St. Mark's Guild are busy distributing tickets for the affair and the advance sale has been made satisfactory.

THE MARKETS

Livestock. PORTLAND, Ore., April 29.—(AP)—CATTLE: 50; calves 10; steady for steers and 25-50c higher for shee stocks and 35c for steers. Steers, 1100-1300 lbs., \$10.75-\$11.25; 950-100 lbs. good, \$11.25-\$11.85; medium, \$10.25-\$11.25.

HOGS: 250, including 106 direct; talking around steady. SHEEP: 400, including 200 on contract, quotably steady.

Portland Wheat. PORTLAND, Ore., April 29.—(AP)—Wheat futures: Open, High, Low, Close. May, 1.04 1.04 1.03 1.03 1/2. July, 1.05 1.05 1.04 1.04 1/2. Sept., 1.06 1.06 1.05 1.05 1/2.

Cash wheat: Big Bend bluestem, 1.17; hard white, 1.05; Soft white, 1.05; Western white, 1.05; Hard winter, 1.03; Northern spring, 1.03; Western red, 1.05.

Oats: No. 2, 35-36; white, 30.00. Today's car receipts: Wheat 31, barley 1, flour 4, corn 4, oats 2, hay 1.

Produce. PORTLAND, Ore., April 29.—(AP)—Butter, eggs, milk (butterfat), poultry, country meats, onions, potatoes, nuts, hys, cascara bark and hops—steady and unchanged.

Sugar and Flour. PORTLAND, Ore., April 29.—(AP)—Sugar—(Sacked basis): Steady; cane, fruit or berry, \$5.10 per cwt. Beet sugar, \$4.95 cwt.

Flour (City delivery prices): Steady. Family patents, 49s, \$7.20; whole wheat, 49s, \$6.70; Graham, 49s, \$6.70; bakers', hard wheat, 98s, \$6.60; bakers', bluestem patents, 49s, \$6.60; pastry flour, 49s, \$6.70.

WALL STREET REPORT

NEW YORK, April 29.—(AP)—Stock prices experienced another sharp set-back today when the rally, which started soon after the opening, failed to follow through. Selling pressure was particularly severe against the copper and rail, more than a score of which were hammered to new low levels for the year.

There was a rather widespread feeling that the reaction was a correction of speculative excesses which had taken place earlier in the year. Much of today's selling was reported to be for short account. The close was weak. Sales approximated 5,500,000 shares.

Today's closing prices for 15 selected stocks follow:

ROTARIANS MARK OREGON BIRTHDAY: COLVIG SPEAKER

Celebration of Oregon's birthday, which will be Friday, May 2, was started in Medford today at the noon meeting of the Rotary club at Hotel Medford.

Judge Wm. M. Colvig, local pioneer, who came to Oregon 79 years ago, was main speaker on the luncheon program. A vivid description of days before the Indians were driven from the lands was given by Judge Colvig, along with a review of old days at Jacksonville.

"I left Missouri in a covered wagon in 1851," Judge Colvig informed his audience. "How I remember that wagon home. During the five and a half months trip across the plains my mother taught me to read. I can look to no college nor university as an alma mater. Mine was an old covered wagon and an elementary spelling book. Our first farm was part of an Indian village. I learned to speak their language better than English and I prefer the Chinook to the English. It has no grammar and no orthography in it."

As the only man living who saw Crater Lake as early as 1855, Judge Colvig told of his first trip over the mountain in October of that year. "There were other men who saw the lake then," he explained, "but the rest of them are all dead."

Turning again to Jacksonville, he stated, "I remember the very early days there when it was a coaling mining camp with mountain men discharged from Fremont's forces invading the hills for gold. There were three or four gambling houses on the main street. And the first donation for a church was won on the faro wheel."

Other guests at today's luncheon were Merland Tolleson, who entertained with several solos, William Dougherty, George Winne and Norris Porter, high school students, who brought honor to Medford during the past week in state music, oratorical debate and extemporaneous speaking contests. They were accompanied by Ralph Bailey of the public speaking department and Mrs. Grace Andrews, pianist.

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Grand Organist. Mrs. Mabel Williams of Junction City, grand organist of O. E. S., will be a guest at the district meeting to be held in Medford this evening with chapters of Central Point, Jacksonville, Ashland and Medford represented.

Garden Club Meets Thursday. Ben Bones, grower of Grants Pass, will be chief speaker at the meeting of the Medford Garden club, called for Thursday evening at Hotel Medford.

Honored at Luncheon Today. Mrs. Charles P. Witter and Mrs. William N. Gilmore, who are guests in this city of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hill, are being complimented today with a bridge luncheon at Blue Flower lodge for which Mrs. Allen Smith, Mrs. Reese Bigley and Mrs. Searle Spencer are joint hostesses.

Sewing Club Meeting Thursday. The Daughters of the Nile sewing club will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. T. Sweeney on the Central Point road. All are urged to attend.

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